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**THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Case No.: 1:24-cr-00033-DAD-BAM

Plaintiff,

**ROGER D. WILSON'S AMENDED
NOTICE OF MOTION AND MOTION
TO WITHDRAW AS COUNSEL FOR
DEFENDANT; AND ORDER**

EDUARDO MENDOZA SANCHEZ.

STATUS CONF.: December 10, 2025
TIME: 1:00 p.m.
COURTROOM: 8

Defendant.

**TO: THE HONORABLE MAGISTRATE BARBARA A. MCAULIFFE AND
ASSISTANT UNITED STATES ATTORNEY JUSTIN GILJO:**

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that as soon as the matter may be heard before the

Honorable Barbara A. McAuliffe, attorney Roger D. Wilson of The Law Offices of Roger D. Wilson shall and hereby does respectfully seek leave of this Court to withdraw as counsel for Defendant EDUARDO MENDOZA SANCHEZ.

MOTION TO WITHDRAW

On October 20, 2025, Counsel Roger D. Wilson was appointed by the Governor of California to be a Judge in the Tulare County Superior Court. (See Declaration of Roger D. Wilson attached hereto). Consequently, Counsel Wilson will be unable to practice law in the Eastern District of California and unable to continue his representation of the Defendant.

1 Therefore, Counsel Wilson respectfully requests this Court to grant his motion to
2 withdraw as counsel for Defendant EDUARDO MENDOZA SANCHEZ.

3 Respectfully submitted,

4 Date: November 25, 2025 By: _____
5 The Law Offices of Roger D. Wilson
6 /s/ Roger D. Wilson
7 **ROGER D. WILSON**
8 Attorney for Defendant
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DECLARATION OF ROGER D. WILSON IN SUPPORT OF MOTION

I, ROGER D. WILSON, declare under penalty of perjury that:

1. I am an attorney duly licensed and authorized to practice law in the State of California, I am a member of the State Bar of California, and the United States District Court for the Eastern District of California.

2. I am a Criminal Justice Act (CJA) attorney appointed to represent Defendant Eduardo Mendoza Sanchez, the defendant in this case.

3. Mr. Sanchez's case is scheduled for a Status Conference on December 10, 2025.

4. On October 20, 2025, I was appointed by the Governor of California to be a Judge in the Tulare County Superior Court.

5. On November 25, 2025, I was informed by the Office of the Federal Defender that attorney Marc Days has agreed to take over representation of Defendant Eduardo Mendoza Sanchez's case.

6. Attorney Marc Days can be contacted at: 1125 T Street, Fresno, CA 93721; (559) 708-4844.

7. As a Superior Court Judge I am prohibited from practicing law, therefore, I am closing my practice immediately.

8. Mr. Sanchez has been informed of my appointment, the prohibition of practicing law and closure of my practice.

9. This request to withdraw as counsel is not for the purpose of delay, but rather to allow time for the appointment of new counsel.

10. This request should not prejudice any party nor unduly. Burden the Court.

DATED: This 25^h day of November 2025, at Fresno, California.

/s/ Roger D. Wilson
Roger D. Wilson

ORDER

This matter, having come before the Court on Defense Counsel's Motion to Withdraw,
and for good cause shown, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

Attorney Roger D. Wilson of The Law Offices of Roger D. Wilson, is relieved as counsel of record for Defendant EDUARDO MENDOZA SANCHEZ. Attorney Marc Days is hereby appointed as counsel.

The December 10, 2025 hearing at 1:00 p.m. remains as previously set.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: **November 25, 2025**

/s/ *Barbara A. McAuliffe*
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE